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In re Patent Application of

Jonathan Arnold M. Knight

Application No.: 10/626,606

Filing Date:

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Title: TAPE MEASURES

Commissioner for Patents

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

P.O. Box 1450

Group Art Unit: 2859

Examiner: CHRISTOPHER W FULTON

Confirmation No.: 9352

AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.

Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \$55.00 (2814) \$110.00 (1814) fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.

Also enclosed is/are

Small entity status is hereby claimed.

Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the \$385.00 (2801) \$770.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).

Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered. Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.

Applicant(s) previously submitted

on

for which continued examination is requested.

Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least

enclosed.

which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R.

A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also

§ 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.

X No additional claim fee is required.

□ A	n additional	claim fee is	required,	and is o	calculated a	as shown	below.
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		A	MEND	ED CLAIMS		
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Total Claims	21	MINUS	22 =	0	x \$18.00 (1202) =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	3	MINUS	3 =	0	x \$86.00 (1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds n	nultiple depen	dent claim	s, add	\$290.00 (1203)		: -
Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 0.00	
Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 0.00	
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0.00

Ш	A check in the amount of	of is enclosed for the fee due.
	Charge	to Deposit Account No. 02-4800.
	Charge	to credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated June 29, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims beginning on page two of this paper.

Remarks begin on page seven of this paper.